

Politics Out for General

McArthur Avers Aussies' Effort In War Supreme

By C. YATES McDANIEL

GEN. MACARTHUR'S HEAD-QUARTERS, Australia, Thursday, Oct. 29.—(AP)—Gen. Douglas MacArthur Thursday disavowed that he had any "political ambitions whatsoever" and said that "the only hope and ambition I have in the world is for victory for our cause in the war."

Soldier Only



GEN. DOUGLAS MACARTHUR Disavows political plans

"I started as a soldier and I shall finish as one," MacArthur said. "If I survive the campaign, I shall return to that retirement from which this great struggle called me."

Churches Lead Help to Camp

Auxiliary Furnishing Of Day Rooms Gets Many Pledges

Church groups lead all other organizations within the city to date in pledging their efforts to furnish day rooms at Camp Adair, sub-committees reporting Wednesday night at a division meeting of the county camp and hospital committee indicated.

Russians Sustain Reverse

Aziz Make 2nd Advance; Allies Win Tank Clash

By The Associated Press At the start of the 66th day of the battle of Stalingrad Wednesday night, the military position of the Russian defenders was slowly but progressively worsening. There also was a Russian reverse in the deep Caucasus, where the Germans reached the Nalchik plateau in a new flanking offensive.

Allies Push Forward in Desert



Allied troops, spearheading the current allied drive against axis forces in the North African desert, stand over the body of a German soldier slain in the allied capture of a strong point in the German-Italian line, as they examine captured axis equipment. This is one of the first pictures of the new allied campaign, and was sent by radio from Cairo to the United States.—Associated Press Teletext.

Don't Help the Enemy By Usual Halloween Tricks, Warns Uncle

By KENNETH L. DIXON

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—(AP)—The best way to help the enemy, children, is to go out and celebrate Halloween as usual this Saturday night.

Appeasers Flaied by President

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—(AP)—President Roosevelt struck out at appeasers and compromisers Wednesday night in a message praising the Greek people on the second anniversary of their resistance to axis aggression.

Nazi Saboteur Closes Story

CHICAGO, Oct. 28.—(AP)—Ernest Peter Burger, one of the eight Nazi saboteurs who were smuggled into the United States by submarines, finished his story of the plot Wednesday with a display of anger over the question of whether he had saved his skin by turning against his confederates.

Marines Arrive In British Isles

LONDON, Oct. 28.—(AP)—Additional units of United States marines led by Col. William T. Clement, a Bataan-Corregidor hero, have arrived in the British Isles and are at battle stations, the US marine corps headquarters reported Wednesday night.

Enemy Troop Casualties Far Exceed Americans'; Airmen Bomb 2 Ships

Warship Hit, Blazes Set At Rabaul

Guinea Push Gains; Showdown Seen In Solomons

GEN. MACARTHUR'S HEAD-QUARTERS, Australia, Thursday, Oct. 29.—(AP)—Allied bombers winging far north of hotly-contested Guadalcanal in the Solomons hit a Japanese warship and another vessel at Rabaul, New Britain, and started fires visible for 80 miles at Buka, another enemy base, a communique said Thursday.

Bucharest Alert; Helsinki Raided By Soviet Planes

LONDON, Thursday, Oct. 29.—(AP)—The Vichy radio said that a half hour air raid alert occurred Wednesday night in Bucharest, capital of Rumania.

Helsinki Raided By Soviet Planes

HELSINKI, Oct. 28.—(AP)—Russian bombers raided Helsinki twice Wednesday night.

Eleanor Tires Companions

Britons Amazed at Stamina Shown by Honored Tourist

LONDON, Oct. 28.—(AP)—Englishmen are incredulous over "the eternal stamina of the woman."

Boy Escapee Caught When Autos Crash

PORTLAND, Oct. 28.—(AP)—Portland police jailed a youth Wednesday night after a downtown automobile chase that resulted in two traffic accidents which hospitalized seven persons.

Lumber Labor Appeals Wage

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 28.—(AP)—The newly created west coast lumber commission took under advisement Wednesday the appeal of 70,000 sawmill and timber workers in the northwest's Douglas fir industry for more pay.

Home Casualties Exceed Battles

CHICAGO, Oct. 28.—(AP)—Rear Adm. W. H. P. Blandy said Wednesday that "since December 7, more Americans have been permanently disabled by accidents on the home front than the total of our military losses, wounded, captured and killed in action."

Liberty Statue Lighted Briefly

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—(AP)—For the first time since Pearl Harbor the torch atop the Statue of Liberty Wednesday flashed seaward its traditional message of freedom and equality.

Plan Female Marines

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 28.—(AP)—Rear Adm. Randall Jacobs, chief of navy personnel, said Wednesday the US marine corps, as well as the coast guard, plans to enlist women.

Guadalcanal Fight Lulls For Breather

Congressmen Urge United War Force; Mott Joins Call

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—(AP)—Japanese trying to take the vital airfield on Guadalcanal are being mowed down in far greater numbers than the American defenders, the navy announced Wednesday in a communique which also described the damage to enemy equipment as "very heavy."

Detroit Bus, Train Crash Fatal to 16

DETROIT, Oct. 28.—(AP)—Sixteen persons were killed and more than a score injured, several critically, Wednesday when a Detroit street railway motorbus, jammed in its doors with school children, office workers and factory employees, was ripped in two by a passenger train.

Oregon Flier Helps Sink Jap Ships

SAN DIEGO, Calif., Oct. 28.—(AP)—Four marine corps fliers, whose exploits in the Pacific ranged from sinking several Japanese warships despite fierce anti-aircraft fire to thwarting enemy efforts to reinforce Guadalcanal units, are relaxing here before returning to the war zone.

Jeffers Sees Rubber Supply

BALTIMORE, Oct. 28.—(AP)—William M. Jeffers, national rubber administrator, predicted Wednesday night that by the middle of 1944 the United States would have an adequate supply of rubber substitutes and that never again would this country be dependent upon crude rubber from Malaya.

State Scrap Pile At 80,000 Tons

PORTLAND, Oct. 28.—(AP)—Oregon's scrap pile weighed an estimated 80,000 tons Wednesday, just 20,000 short of the state's goal.